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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)

A three (3) month extension of time, from August 20, 2005 to and including November 20, 2005 is requested to respond to the Office Action dated May 20, 2005 in the above-referenced application. A check in the amount of \$510.00 is enclosed to covering the fee for this extension of time.


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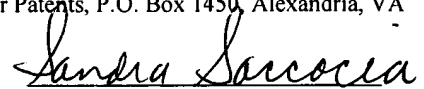
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